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Every purchaser of $5.00 worth of goods from our large and well-selected retail stock, consisting of

CLOTHING,

HATS, CAPS

Gents' Furnishing Goods, Etc.,

Will be presented with a ticket entitling the holder to one share in the FREE GIFT DISTRIBUTION of the following Prizes:

ONE $50.00 IN GOLD.
" 25.00 " "
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" 40.00 SUIT TO ORDER.
" 25.00 MAN'S SUIT.
" 25.00 " OVERCOAT.
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" 15.00 BOY'S OVERCOAT.
" 10.00 " SUIT.
" 15.00 PANTS TO ORDER.
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" 10.00 MOROCCO VALISE.
" 40.00 SEWING MACHINE.
" 20.00 AMERICAN CHINA QUEEN ANNE DINNER SET, from E. L. Bartholomew & Co.
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" BARREL FLOUR from D. S. Shellabarger & Co.
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PANTS MADE TO ORDER FOR $5.00.

J. R. RACE & CO.

March 13, 1881—2&wtf

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Of Decatur, illustrated by recent events, go to show that it is the liveliest city of its size in the State. Its manufacturing and mercantile interests are in the hands of pushing, enterprising, go-ahead men. We do not intend to be one whit behind. Our Establishment will be among the first and foremost in push and enterprise. (No back seat for us.)

To close the spring season, have been through our stock of

DRESS GOODS AND MILLINERY,

TIES, SCARFS, RIBBONS, CORSETS, HOSIERY, GLOVES, Etc., &c., and put prices on them that will CLOSE THEM OUT QUICK. Our stock of STAPLES and DOMESTICS at less than Jobbers' prices. Don't fail to call at

NO. 10 MERCHANT STREET,

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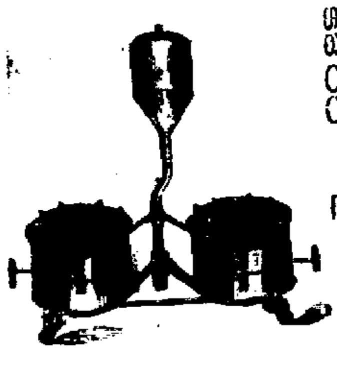

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DON'T STOP MY PAPER.

Don't stop my paper, printer,
Don't strike my name off yet;
You know the times are stringent
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Is what I mean to do,
And scrape the dimes together,
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To do without a paper,
However others may;
I hate to ask my neighbors
To give me theirs on loan;
They don't just say—but mean it—
Why don't you have your own?

A Touching Scene.

Of the late Czar Nicholas, "A Russian Nihilist" tells in the *North American Review* a striking story. A young student, a relative of the writer, had, with a few friends, formed a literary society in which the works of contemporary political economists, publicists and philosophers were read and debated. The secret police denounced this society as a revolutionary organization, and the young student was imprisoned and condemned to Siberia. All possible influence was brought to bear upon the Czar, but in vain, and at last the young man's mother, meeting the czar one day in the summer garden, knelt and implored her son's pardon, asserting his innocence. The czar seem touched, and promised to give the youth a personal interview. The latter was brought to his majesty the next day, and the czar forcing him on his knees before an image of the Saviour, exclaimed: "Can you swear before the Almighty God that neither you nor your associates had any criminal design against my life? Can you swear that you believe in the holiness and eternity of the Russian autocracy?" The surprised prisoner answered: "I can swear to your majesty that neither I nor any of my friends had the remotest idea against your safety. As to the autocratic form of government, I cannot conscientiously swear that I believe in its eternity. The history of other countries teaches us that the time must come even in Russia, when the people itself will take part in the government." The czar tenderly embraced the student, and giving a ring drawn from the imperial finger, said: This is a token of respect from your czar. You have been sincere and truthful to me, and there is nothing I hate so much as a lie." He then approached the writing table where lay the student's sentence of exile, and with one stroke of the pen—signed the paper! "I pity you from the bottom of my heart," he said, "you are an honest man, and an honest man, true to his convictions, is more dangerous to autocracy than an unprincipled rascal. Therefore, I must punish you, though never was this duty more painful to me than now. God bless you my son, and judge me mercifully if I should appear to be in the wrong." Then, once more embracing the student he dismissed him to Siberia.

CLERGYMAN: "No, my dear, it is impossible to preach any kind of a sermon to such a congregation of asses." Smart young lady: "And is that why you call them 'Dearly beloved brethren.'"

NEVER keep your manners for company, but be as polite at home as you try to be abroad.

NATURE'S TRIUMPH.

FRAZIER'S ROOT BITTERS

If you are weak, or languid, use Frazier's Bitters.
If your flesh is flabby and your complexion sallow, use Frazier's Bitters.
If you live in a malarial district, use Frazier's Bitters.
If worn down with the care of children, use Frazier's Bitters.
If you have got the blues, use Frazier's Bitters.
If you have kept late hours and lived contrary to the laws of health, use Frazier's Root Bitters.
If you need toning up, take Frazier's Root Bitters.
If you have abused instead of used nature's gifts, use Frazier's Bitters.
If you feel old before your time, use Frazier's Bitters.
If life has become a burden and you have gloomy forebodings, use Frazier's Bitters.
If your hands tremble and your eyes have grown dim, Frazier's Root Bitters will make you feel young again. Sold by all druggists everywhere at the low price $1.00 per bottle.
HENRY & DAVIES, Sole Prop's,
Dec. 20, 1880—d&weomly CLEVELAND, O.

ON Monday, June 27th, the Illinois Central Railroad Company will give a pleasure excursion to Clear Lake, Iowa, 400 miles distant. The train will leave Decatur at 3:40 p. m., 27th, arriving at Clear Lake 4 p. m., 28th. Fare from Decatur, $9.35, tickets good to return on any regular train within 60 days.
May 30—d&wtd

LADIES!

Ladies having handsome dresses to make would do well to give Mrs. Grist a call, as she comes among the people of Decatur well recommended, and having an experience of 10 years in her line of business, can guarantee satisfaction both in work, fitting and finishing. Over F. L. Hays & Co.'s. [Mar.2-dimo

FOR cheapest and best Summer Cooking Stoves go to Wingate's Decatur Lamp Store, Central Block, Merchant street.
May 11—dtf

IMPORTED Colored Gent's Hose at STINE'S 11—dtf.

OUR HOUSE

—IS AS—

Full of Bargains!

—AS AN—

"EGG IS FULL OF MEAT."

Do you know why all the respectable citizens of Decatur have very generally traded with us? That's easy. Simply because they find our advertisements devoid of gushy exaggerations and untruthfulness, our Goods as WE REPRESENT THEM.

Our Word as Good as a Government Bond,

—AND OUR—

Prices Uniformly Reasonably Low.

You will not be disappointed when you call to trade with

B. STINE,

THE "BOSS CLOTHIER,"

—THE—

Leader in the Clothing Business

IN DECATUR,

THE CLOTHIER FOR MEN AND YOUTH,

And even the boys call him BOSS.

Our Stock is as Full as Ever.

COME AND SEE.

B. STINE,

The "BOSS CLOTHIER" of Decatur.

Jun 10, 1881—dtf

GRAND EXCURSION TO CHICAGO.

Only $5.00 from Decatur to Chicago and return, to enable every one to attend the greatest musical event of the 19th century, the Grand Saengerfest of the North American Saengerbund, to be held at the exposition building, June 29th, 30th, July 1st, 2d and 3d. Seven grand concerts, a mighty chorus of 2,000 singers, and a grand orchestra of 150 artists. Among the soloists will be Mme. Peschka-Leutner, Germany's greatest soprano, Miss Annie Louise Cary, and Mr. Myron W. Whitney. Grand picnic at Wright's Grove, Sunday, July 3d.

In addition to the above attractions, the summer running meeting of the Chicago Driving Park will be held from June 25th until July 4th inclusive, giving visitors an opportunity of witnessing races between some of the most noted horses of the American turf.

Excursion tickets will be sold for the regular trains of June 27th and July 1st inclusive, good to return on regular trains [which stop at Decatur] up to and including July 5th.

ELECTRIC OIL AMONG BASE BALLISTS.

Joseph Durrinberger, Broadway, says he had the misfortune to severely sprain his ankle, confining him to his room and causing extreme suffering. His brother Lessee, of the E. Side B. B. grounds, who always uses it on such occasions, induced him to try it, and he says that the application of the Eclectric Oil half a dozen times enabled him to walk around and before he had used one-third of the bottle he was quite recovered.

If Adam had had a game of "fifteen" placed in his hands at an early period of his existence the whole course of history might have been materially altered for the better, and if biliousness, indigestion, sick headache, or dyspepsia were unknown, Spring Blossom would not be needed. Prices: $1., 50 cents, and trial bottles 10 cents.

You ought to examine shoes at J. W. Baker's. apr30dtf

Closing Notice.

We, the undersigned merchants of Decatur, Ill., agree to close our places of business at 7 o'clock p. m. every day except Saturdays from June 20th to Sept. 1st.

Linn & Scruggs,	F. L. Hays & Co.,
Roach & McReynolds,	Bruce & Gassler,
S. G. Hatch & Bro.,	Hear & Ebstein,
N. Haberman,	E. Williams,
Mrs. D. S. Wilkinson,	R. C. Hamsher,
Annie Miller,	Mary Falconer.
Alfred Clerk.	[June16dtf

In Trouble.

Wingate, the Lamp store man, says the St. Louis Summer Cooking Stove Factory cannot make stoves as fast as he can sell them; their excellence and cheapness is what's the matter. Everybody that sees them in operation want one right off. [June 3-dtf

FURNISHING goods, hats and caps a specialty at Fleury's, the French Cutter, corner of old square. 11d&wtf

THE largest assortment of Summer Clothing at STINE'S. 11—dtf.

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Galvanic Infirmary!

For the treatment of all diseases of the

HEAD, EYE and EAR,

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which is so difficult to cure by the ordinary methods, as well as all forms of Inflamed and Sore Eyes, are permanently cured by this Tongue Galvanic Process in a short time. Also Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Headache, Paralysis, Fever Sores, as well as various other Nervous and Chronic Diseases.

Infirmary located over ARMSTRONG'S DRUG STORE, SOUTHEAST CORNER OLD SQUARE.

Send for circular with references, etc.
Address GALVANIC INFIRMARY, Lock Box 50, Decatur, Ill. Jan6…

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AT A BARGAIN.

I offer for sale my residence property,

No 17, South Green Street,

comprising nearly one acre of ground, high and dry, on which is erected a comfortable frame house one story high.

For terms, etc., inquire on the premises.
May 3—d2mo* **R. COSTALLO.**

"CHEAP CHARLEY'S" CORNER.

ON THE TOP

—OF THE—

CLOTHING TRADE

In Central Illinois,—and we may say in the West,—stands

Cheap Charley,

—WITH HIS—

Fine Array of Custom-Made Clothing.

WE SELECT OUR OWN STYLES!
WE CONTROL OUR OWN STYLES!
WE CUT OUR OWN PATTERNS!
WE MAKE FITTING SIZES!
WE GUARANTEE OUR OWN GOODS!
WE GIVE SATISFACTION IN EVERY INSTANCE!

We return the money cheerfully if goods prove not satisfactory when taken home and returned to us not soiled.
We save our customers the middleman's profit, as we are first hand.

THE LARGEST STOCK,
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THE LOWEST PRICE,

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KAUFMAN & BACHRACH, Manufacturers of Clothing.

Hats, Caps, Gents' Furnishing Goods, Trunks and Valises, at Jobber's Prices.

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KAUFMANN & BACHRACH

Manufacturers of

MEN'S AND BOYS'

Clothing!

Dealers in

Goods for Men's Wear.

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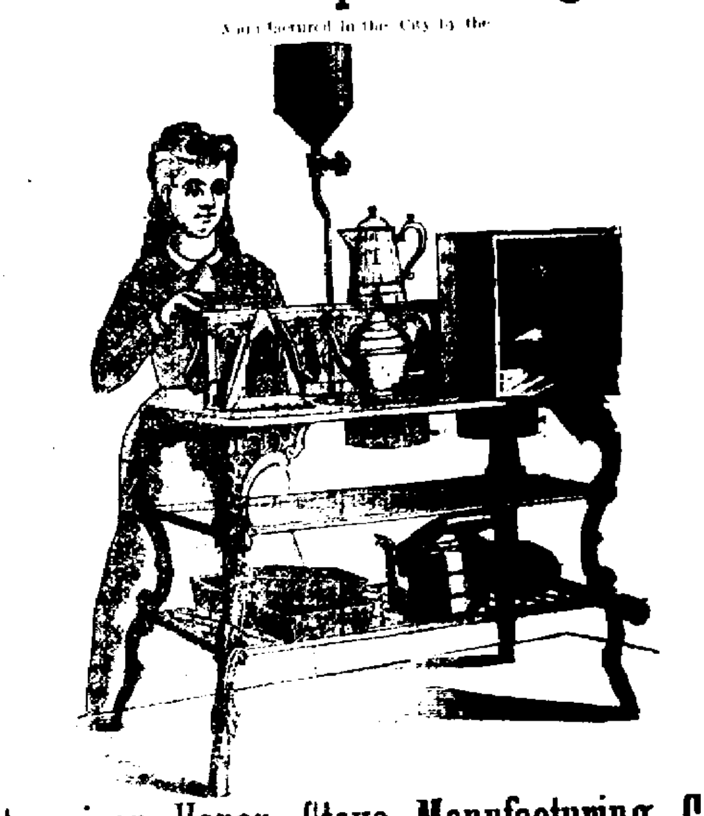
DECATUR.

Factory—Chicago, Illinois.
March 10—d&wtf

The American Vapor Cooking Stove

Manufactured in the City by the



American Vapor Stove Manufacturing Co

Is the Latest Improved Burner and Grate, and is in every respect superior to any other Va… stove in use, and is WARRANTED TO GIVE ENTIRE SATISFACTION. It gets … order we will repair it free of cost. The following certificate tells what people think of it … have used it. Patronize home industry.

Call at the Factory on 3rd floor, over J. Millikin & Co's Ba…

and see it work before purchasing any of the low grade stoves.

The undersigned having purchased and in use one of the Improved Vapor Stoves, inve… by PAUL RICKETT, and manufactured by the

American Vapor Stove Manufacturing Co., of Decatur, Illinois

Desire to bear testimony to its excellent qualities. We find it SAFE, SIMPLE, easy to … derstood, and it is economical in the way of fuel, and so very convenient for all … poses that we do not believe any person having it once could be easily induced to part with …

Mrs. Jane Pluck,	Mrs. C. A. Elwood,	Mrs. Dr. Sibley,	Mrs. H. L. Archer,
" D. E. Bunn,	" J. C. Bunstead,	" J. C. Marcott,	" Dr. Hostetler,
" J. A. Barnes,	" Wm. Berger,	" J. M. Locke,	" W. F. Busher,
" Dr. Walters,	" A. Brewer,	" L. L. Ferris,	" J. H. Cunningham,
" E. C. Butler,	" J. A. Leforgee,	" S. M. Irwin,	" J. W. Weigand,
" A. J. Thompson,	" Wm. Hudson,	Mercie Hooker,	Frank Wood,
" C. H. Brown,	" Fred Wesley,	" D. C. Shockley,	" John A. Crow…,
" Jas. O'Neill,	" J. R. Miller,	" John W. Tyler, Sr.,	" E. R. Roe,
" W. J. Wayne,	" Samuel Funk,	" P. Loeb,	" C. A. Masters…,
" J. C. Hendricks,	" Geo. Wykoff,	" Henry Adams,	" J. W. Hartley,
" J. W. Tyler, Jr.,	" Wm. Archer,		

I have in constant use, day and night, two of the Vapor Stoves manufactured by the Am… can Vapor Stove Manufacturing Company, of this city, and it affords me pleasure to say … they give me entire satisfaction, and I cheerfully recommend it as safe, economical and … venient.
N. A. WHITE, Prop. of Central Hotel Decatur, Ill.

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DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

Entered at the Post Office at Decatur, Illinois, as second class mail matter.

MONDAY EVENING, JUNE 27, 1881.

We'll have no coal famine in Decatur next winter.

The big C's—the Comet and the Coal shaft.

The play of "Black Diamonds," put upon the boards in the fifth ward yesterday, drew an immense audience of all sorts of people, and gave the greatest satisfaction to all who were present.

And are we to have no Fourth of July in Decatur this year? The successful completion of our coal shaft ought to furnish an additional reason for celebrating our national holiday this year.

Conkling was in Washington on Saturday, but as he must have known that the president was at "the Brawneh," it is fair to presume that he did not make his visit to the capital with any intention of consulting with the head of the government on the Albany muddle.

The gossips who have been busy in concocting reports of the personal coolness between Grant and Garfield will probably not be taken back much by the news that the former called to pay his respects to the latter at his reception on Saturday at Long Branch. Such creatures never learn anything by experience, but go on fixing up new stories as soon as the old one is exploded. The world would be a very dull place without the gossips.

Over in Iowa the Republicans are having a spirited contest over the nomination for governor, to be made by the convention which meets at Des Moines on Wednesday of this week. The reports are somewhat conflicting—somewhat like those which preceded the last state convention of Illinois—but as near as we can get at it the fight is chiefly between Sherman and Larrabee, with chances pretty evenly divided between them, but neither having a majority of the one thousand delegates of which the convention will be composed. But inasmuch as the Republicans have well on to 80,000 majority in the state, the dangers that arise from a family quarrel are not very formidable.

Bloomington, Ill., June 25.—Senator David Davis left for Springfield in answer to a telegram requesting his presence at the bedside of Mrs. Lincoln, widow of President Lincoln. Senator Davis was executor of the estate of Mr. Lincoln, and it is thought the object of his visit is of a business character, Mrs. Lincoln being desirous of making arrangements for the disposition of her property.

A New York *Sun* special from Long Branch, dated Friday, says: The president and Gen. Grant have met at last. The president and his wife and boy were just starting out for a drive at 5 o'clock. Gen. Grant at the same interesting moment chanced to be strolling over the lawn at his son Jesse's cottage. He was going toward the roadway as the president's carriage passed. The salute which was exchanged was spontaneous, simultaneous, and to all outward appearances, cordial, though not familiar. The president drove on, and the general resumed his stroll. The news of the meeting and the greeting was abroad in an instant. Now, let us have peace.

The best writers of the European press are noting our protective tariff as one cause of the large prosperity of the United States. The condition of the English and French manufacturers is not enviable, and some of the most sagacious are contemplating a removal of both machinery and skilled workmen to the United States. A large manufacturer has recently been in Chicago and selected the site for an extensive factory, and at no distant date the hum of British spindles will be heard upon our prairies. Here is where the goods are wanted; the wool is here, and nothing is lacking to make the United States the greatest manufacturing country on the globe.—*Inter-Ocean.*

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The BEST SALVE in the world for Cuts Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Tetter Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns and all kinds of Skin Eruptions, Freckles and Pimples. The salve is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction in every case or money refunded. Be sure you get HENRY'S CARBOLIC SALVE, as all others are but imitations. Price 25 cts. For sale by all druggists. No. 2

City of Mexico, June 25.—Last night a whole train on the Morelo railroad tumbled down into the river San Antonio, near Cuentla, on account of the downfall of a stone bridge. Near two hundred dead and a great many wounded, mostly soldiers. More details to-morrow.

Gentlemen's Gauze Undershirts at Stier's. 11—dtf.

Gent's Linen and Alpaeca Dusters at Stier's. 11—dtf.

Imported Colored Gent's Hose at Stier's 11—3tf.

The Louisville *Courier-Journal* thinks that if "Americans were allowed to buy cheap iron in England, the farmer would pay less for his plow and spade and reaper, and less for railroad transportation, as roads would cost less." We tried that experiment with Robert J. Walker's tariff in 1846, though we didn't get the full good of it for two or three years after. When the "tariff for revenue only" went into operation, we had enough blast furnaces at work to make a yield of pig iron that held British prices in check. The change killed them all, and British pig, which had been sold down to $19 a ton, was put up to $25. There was no competition to hold it down. So that there is no sure thing in low prices of English manufactures, if our competing manufactures are killed to please a whim of certain "closet" theorists, who have laid down infallible principles of political economy by speculation, and logically built a free trade system on them that makes mischief wherever it is tried. The English are grumbling about it themselves. Russia stood it four or five years after Storch introduced it, and then Nesselrode told the world in a diplomatic circular that she could not have the life ground out of her industries by cheap English goods, and in 1824 she returned to protective duties. Prussia abandoned protection in 1815, because it was Napoleon's policy. The change ruined farmer as well as manufacturer, and in 1818 the duties had to be restored. Now the London *Times*, looking at the prosperity of France and this country, both living and working under systems more or less protective, says that "English free trade notions are seriously disturbed." And there is a good deal of "back talk" at the established system which has ruined more than one valuable industry, and threatens them all. "Free trade" is a pretty theory, and soaked full of what the Germans call "world love" and universal sweetness; but it doesn't pay. It murders the enterprise of unskilled nations, and keeps them unskilled to the last. No nation has ever tried it long but England, and she is getting exceedingly sick of it.—*Indianapolis Journal.*

The Farmers' club of Pennsylvania, an organization composed of twleve of the most conspicuous agriculturists of that commonwealth, assisted on the 9th of June at the "house-warming" of Mr. George W. Childs' new and spacious farm-house at Wootton, near Philadelphia. The dinner was one of those plain, substantial meals that Mr. and Mrs. Childs are noted for giving. On the table were flower plats, candelabra, wine coolers of gold and silver, and glass ornaments of great beaty. In the course of the entertainment twenty-two plates of different kinds of decorated porcelain were placed before each guest, no two alike. Eight glasses to a guest were filled at different times with various vintages. Terrapin was served in a little fluted nest, like Charlotte-Russe. Oranges were scooped out and filled with cream and then the piece restored and the whole arrangement frozen. Several vegetables were served together in an artistic arrangement of colors, with browned potatoes as a base, embroidered with tomatoes, and a sea-foam arrangement of spinach on top. There was a waiter for each guest. As might be supposed, there was all the vivacity of spirit and grace of conversation that usually marks the intercourse of men who are earnest tillers of the soil, such men as farmer Simon Cameron; farmer Senator Thomas F. Bayard, of Delaware; farmer Speaker Samuel J. Randall; farmer John Welsh, late a diplomatist; farmer Wayne MacVeagh; farmer Senator J. Donald Cameron; farmer Lippincott, the publisher; farmer McKean, who sows so many useful seeds in the *Ledger*—and several railway and bank presidents and other celebrities who are never so happy as when they flee away from money-grubbing to meet and talk of the beautiful bean, the consolatory corn, the pleasant pea, the toothsome tomato, the opulent onion, the priceless potato, and discuss the value of newly-invented agricultural apparatus, the prospects as to "craps," the glucose iniquity, or the objectionable grasshopper. And then it is pleasant to see these horny-handed delvers of the ground when they come to dinner. They are always jejune, and manducate vigorously, and they enjoy that which is poculent without becoming crapulent.

R. T. of T. Sociable.

Haworth Council No. 56, R. T. of T., will hold a sociable in their hall in Court House block, on Wednesday evening, June 29th. Among the attractions of the evening will be a quartette, to be selected by Miss Dollie Millikin, recitation by Miss Laura Fulton, duett by D. L. Bunn and Miss Mamie Kinney, reading by Mrs. M. L. Cain, solo by Miss Mamie Kinney Miss Dollie Millikin will be the organist for the evening. Refreshments in abundance. Admission free. Everybody come 22dtd

The well known strengthening properties of Iron, combined with other tonics and a most perfect nervine, are found in Carter's Iron Pills, which strengthen the nerves and body, and improve the blood and complexion. Sold by Hubbard & Swearingen. 22d&wlw

Constipation is positively cured by Carter's Little Liver Pills. Not by purging and weakening the bowels, but by regulating and strengthening them. This is done by improving the digestion and stimulating the liver to the proper secretion of bile, when the bowels will perform their customary functions in an easy and natural manner. Purgative pills must be avoided. Ask for Carter's Little Liver Pills. Price 25 cents. Sold by Hubbard & Swearingen. 22d&wlw

DR. ROGER'S VEGETABLE WORM SYRUP instantly destroys worms and removes the secretions which cause them.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

The council met pursuant to adjournment.

Present—Ald. Armstrong, Bunn, Gogerty, Hardy, Kuny, Moffit, Shellabarger and Shoemaker. Absent—Bramble and Harwood.

The council proceeded to business, Mayor Waggoner presiding.

A communication was received from Mrs. W. H. Ennis, tendering her resignation as member of the board of directors of the Public Library.

J. R. Race and others petitioned the council to improve Merchant street alley by bouldering. Petition referred to committee on public improvement.

A communication was received from Mr A. Goodman in relation to allowing other parties to tap the tile laid down by him, which was read and placed on file. Ald. Harwood moved that so much of the resolution offered by Ald. Bunn requiring the tile to be connected with tile laid down by Mr. Goodman be rescinded, and that Montgomery and others be required to extend their tile west on Eldorado to Union street, which motion prevailed.

Ald. Hardy offered a resolution authorizing the Street Superintendent to take earth from any of the streets or sidewalks that are above grade, to make sidewalk on south side of William, between Water and Franklin. Adopted.

Ald. Shellabarger offered a resolution requiring the City Engineer to make a survey and estimate of cost of extending the 3d ward sewer to the river.

On motion the council adjourned.

G. P. Hardy, City Clerk.

The Island of Great Britain, by the new census just taken, is found to contain *thirty* millions of inhabitants. This is an enormous number of souls to be crowded upon a space no larger than Illinois and Indiana, and whose agricultural capabilities are very much less.—Illinois alone, properly farmed, has more food-producing power than England, Scotland and Wales combined, although she now supports only three millions of inhabitants against ten times that number on the British Isle. While Great Britain has increased some four millions during the past decade, the sister island—Ireland—has actually sunk down a quarter of a million. Ireland is considerably more than one-third as large as Great Britain, but has barely *one sixth* as many inhabitants. The natural capability of Ireland to support her population is fully as great as that of the larger island; but, under the accursed land laws established and enforced by the British government, there is the phenomenon of a poverty-stricken, decaying people gradually wilting and passing away and becoming extinct in the land of their fathers. The English landlords have got in their work on poor Pat.

Gov. Cornell, of New York, has just vetoed a bill passed by the legislature of that state which provided for pensioning the superannuated school teachers of New York City and Brooklyn. The governor's argument was that teachers, in their business, are not exposed to any danger putting their lives in peril, and are at liberty to seek other employment at any time. And yet there is reason to question whether the pensioning of teachers would not have the effect to induce a class of men and women who have a peculiar fitness for that profession to engage in it as a life business, thereby benefitting the cause of education.—*Springfield Journal.*

Des Moines, Ia., June 26.—All the counties in the state have reported but Calhoun and O'Brien. Twenty-six counties, with 276 delegates, are instructed to vote for Sherman. Of the uninstructed delegates he has 207. Of the 113 unknown delegates, or those from counties having candidates before the convention for other offices, he has at least one-half, which will give him more than the necessary 510 to secure a nomination. The delegates are divided on other candidates as follows: Harlan, 87; Campbell, 51; Kimball, 15. The friends of Larrabee from Dubuque and Davenport are already here, and friends of other candidates will be here to-night. Larrabee and friends will concede to Sherman only the 276 instructed delegates, and claim 305 for Larrabee.

New York, June 26.—Henry Stanberry, attorney general of the United States during part of President Johnson's Administration, died suddenly today at 98 Fifth Avenue, from acute bronchitis. The disease was contracted during a ride in Central Park on Monday last. Since then he has been confined to his bed. The body will be taken to Cincinnati on Tuesday. Stanberry was born in New York City, in February, 1803. In 1813 he went with his father to Zanesville, O.; graduated from Washington College, Pa., in 1819; studied law in Lancaster, O., and was admitted to the bar in 1824; elected attorney general of Ohio in 1847; afterwards practiced law in Cincinnati; resigned the attorney generalship of the United States in 1868 for the purpose of defending the president in his impeachment trial; later a cataract formed upon his eye and his sight became impaired. Since October last he has been totally blind.

San Francisco, June 25.—Frank Braga, secretary of the Portuguese Protective and Benevolent Society, has absconded. He is a defaulter to the amount of $100,000. Braga was a saloon keeper near the city front. He was implicitly trusted by his countrymen, who deposited with him, for safe keeping, investment and stock operations, their savings. He left the city June 16th, ostensibly for Tuoumne county, on business. It is now ascertained that he has made a clean sweep of the money, stocks and bonds of his clients, and even the more valuable furniture of his saloon.

TELEGRAPHIC

AT LONG BRANCH.

Grant and Garfield Clasp Hands.

The Contest at Albany.

Albany, N. Y., June 25.—In the joint convention the ballot for a successor to ex-Senator Conkling resulted as, follows, combined vote:

Potter (Dem)	32	Cornell	1
Conkling	22	Lapham	10
Wheeler	32	Roach	1

Assemblyman Patterson raised a point of order that a quorum of the senate had not voted.

The chair decided the point of order not well taken, as a quorum of the convention had voted, and declared that there had been no choice.

The convention then proceeded to vote for the filling of the Platt vacancy. When the senate had voted, casting 15 votes, Mr. Murphy raised a point of order that a quorum of that body had not voted.

The chair decided the point could not be raised during roll call. The following is the combined vote:

Depew	34	Crowley	4
Kernan	31	Tremaine	1
Platt	20	Lapham	2
Cornell	5		

The chair declared that no choice had been made, and the convention adjourned till Monday.

New York, June 25.—An Albany special says: "A new movement is to be started next week for a party caucus. The felling is becoming more general that the dead-lock cannot be broken until a caucus is held in the regular way, and nominations for senators made, the minority submitting to the majority. If the caucus programme is accepted by both sides, the dead-lock will end next day. At present this seems to be the only chance for reaching the end for months to come."

Long Branch, June 25.—The salute which passed between the president and General Grant last night opened the way for a further greeting to-day. They have shaken hands, and remarked on the prolonged coolness of the weather. The president held an informal reception today in the ladies' parlor of the Elberon. Invitations were sent out to the occupants of the neighboring cottages, and General Grant was especially notified of the opportunity for him to come half way toward a reconciliation. It has been intimated all along that he had intended every evening to call on the president, but he either supposed the president was not at home, or he himself was too tired, or the president was weary, or, for some reason or other, he never came. When to-day's opportunity was given him to pay his respects to the Executive, his absence would have amounted to an affront. The president and Col. Rockwell entered the parlor together at 5:30 o'clock, and were presently joined by Secretary of the Navy Hunt and Postmaster-General James, each accompanied by his wife. Mrs. Garfield was not present. Soon the approaches to Elberon were filled with the sounds of jingling harness and clattering hoofs, and the stylish equipages of the stylish neighborhood drove up to the piazza. Gen. Grant was among the last to call. He drove up in a coupe soon after 6, and entered the parlor alone. "How do you do, Mr. President?" he said. "How do you do, General?" was the president's counter-query. They shook hands cordially. A few words, in a single sentence of commonplace, were uttered by General Grant, and in a moment, what might have been an embarrassing silence, was broken by half a dozen ladies and gentlemen surrounding the ex-president and shaking hands with him. In three minutes by the watch of General Ihrie, of California, formerly of Grant's staff, the ex-president had left the hotel. He walked away and crossed the road to his son Jesse's cottage on foot. There was no opportunity for any exchange of personal or confidential remarks between the two men, and nothing more important than the Long Branch air and scenery was spoken of.

Long Branch, June 26.—President Garfield attended the Episcopal Church this morning. The president passed the greater part of the day with his wife at the hotel. The president, Secretary Hunt and Postmaster General James dined with John Hoey. The secretary and postmaster general were for a time guests of ex-Collector Murphy.

Little, Rock, June 25.—Intelligence from the Indian Nation states that affairs have reached a crisis. The United States cavalry at Fort Sill have been ordered to report to United States Agent Tuffts at Muscogee, to co-operate with the Choctaw militia under Gov. McCurtin in driving out the white intruders and their stock from the country. All those not Indians or intermarried with Indians are classed as intruders under the law, and although many of them have permits to dwell in the nation, it is asserted that their papers were illegally issued, and they will be forced to leave. The Indian militia are in camp near Scullyville, three or four hundred strong, and are under orders to effect a junction with the United States troops at Fort McAllister.

Omaha, Neb., June 25.—Sensation was created by the indictment by the grand jury of four prominent liquor dealers, two of whom are city councilmen, for violation of the Slocum high license law. There is a strong public sentiment against the law, which went into effect the first of June. This is the first step towards enforcing it.

Ottawa, June 25.—Vennor, in a letter to the *Citizen* this morning, says: I believe that the present summer is one of a triad of similar summers, probably the middle one. It is likely to resemble in its chief features that of 1880, and to differ in some of its minor details. The approaching month of July will give a great deal of rain, as in 1880, over a large portion of the United States and Canada, while in Great Britain the weather will in all probability be likewise stormy and wet. The storms of wind, thunder and lightning are likely to be severe and frequent. The heaviest rains for New York and vicinity would locate after the 20th, and probably on the 21st or 22d dates. Between the 10th and 15th days an exceedingly hot term is to be experienced in both the United States and Canada. Within a few days from the close of the month, probably about the 27th or 28th, a cool wave will occur, carrying frosts in Canada and cold weather generally, with storms of wind and rain throughout the United States. Where storms have been severely felt in the western and southwestern states during June, there also will the severest storms of July be experienced. Notwithstanding these frequent and severe storms during the month, frequent alterations of fine hot weather will counteract to a great extent the damage done to crops in the west. The entrance of July in Canada, and also to a considerble extent in the United States, will be cool and showery, and the present lookout for the fourth is not a very promising one.

New York, June 25.—The *Times'* Albany special to-night says: "A rumor reached Albany from New York this evening to the effect that Mr. Depew is to be withdrawn during the coming week from the senatorial contest, and that the Hon. Frank Hiscock is to be substituted in his place as a candidate. The report is denied absolutely here to-night by a number of Administration assemblymen. The most important of these denials, however, comes from ex-Lieut. Gov. Alvord, of Syracuse, which district Mr. Hiscock represents in congress. Mr. Alvord says he knows there is not a vestige of foundation for the rumor, and that at or up to this time there has been no thought of withdrawing Depew for anybody. Mr. Alvord went to New York on the steamer Drew to night, this being the first time he has been away from this city since December last, when the new legislature was assembling." Notwithstanding this positive denial from Albany, there is very good ground for believing that there is a foundation for the statement that Mr. Hiscock is to be substituted for Depew.

Oh, What a Cough!

Will you heed the warning. The signal perhaps of the sure approach of that more terrible disease consumption. Ask yourselves if you can afford for the sake of saving 50 cents to run the risk and do nothing for it. We know from experience that Shiloh's cure will cure your cough. It never fails. This explains why more than a million bottles were sold the past year. It relieves croup, and whooping cough, at once. Mothers do not be without it. For lame back, side, or chest, use Shiloh's Porous Plaster. Sold by Henry Smith, druggist.

Dyspepsia & Liver Complaint.

Is it not worth the small price of 75 cents to free yourself of every symptom of these distressing complaints, if you think so, call at our store and get a bottle of Shiloh's Vitalizer, every bottle has a printed guarantee on it, use accordingly and if it does you no good it will cost you nothing. Sold by Henry Smith.

We have a speedy and positive cure for catarrh, diptheria, canker mouth and headache, in SHILOH'S CATARRH REMEDY. A nasal injector goes with each bottle. Use it if you desire health and sweet breath. Price 50 cents. Sold by Henry Smith. Dec 11-d&wcod

We want you custom, and think we can offer you inducements if you will come and see us, which will be sufficient to satisfy you that our store is the best place in town to trade. Bargains are to be had every day this spring.

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Lots on North Water, on Durfee, Bradford and Marietta Sts., between Water and Broadway. Also

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A CHOICE LITTLE FARM

44 ACRES,

One-fourth mile from City Limits.

June 3, 1881—dtf

Notice to Contractors.

SEALED proposals will be received by the Undersigned up to July 4th, 1881, 7 o'clock P. M., for the construction of a brick sewer in the Fifth Ward, in accordance with the plans and specifications on file in the office of the city clerk. The city reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

By order of the City Council.

G. P. HARDY, City Clerk.

Decatur, Ill., June 25, 1881—dtd.

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One of the handsomest stocks of Goods we have ever shown. All bought since the great

BREAK IN PRICES in New York,

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Our Embroideries at 25 cents are as good as you have ever seen at 40 cents. Our stock of Laces is elegant; all the new styles and patterns and at exceeding low prices. We show a beautiful line of real Thread and Duchesse at lower prices than any city will show them.

Our Stock of "Hays" Kid Gloves contains all the new shades. We also show the Imperial Kids, all colors, with 5 hooks. Our 16-cent all-wool Buntings are the same that sold last year at 25 cents, and the best goods we sell at 25 cents.

Our Black Brocade Silks at 65 and 75 cents and $1.00 are beautiful and as good as we have ever shown at $1.00, $1.25 and $1.50.

We have a handsome line of Dress Silks, all colors, at $1.00, with Brocade to match; also plain and plaid Satins, plaid Surahs, and new styles Summer Silks, at 50 cents and up. Our stock of Black Silks, commencing at 50 cents, contains some of the best makes and at the lowest prices.

We also carry handsome Black Surahs, Marvalieuxs and Satin de Lyon.

Our stock of Girls' and Ladies' Hosiery and Gloves is very complete with new styles, including Black Silk and Black Lisle Thread Hose for ladies. We have pretty Ruchings, Collars, Cuffs, Ladies' Ties and a full line of Ribbons, gros grain, satin and fancies.

We show the best Corsets in the city for the prices, and full lines of Ladies' and Gents' Underwear.

Our stock of Parasols is very complete. Among them some very beautiful beaded, lined and lace trimmed.

Beautiful Fans of every description, with new novelties of all kinds being received daily.

See our unlaundried Shirts, at $1.00, with the new improvement.

F. L. HAYS & CO.

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We carry at all times an extensive line of DIAMONDS, EAR RINGS, LACE PINS, LOCKETS, CLUSTER and SOLTAIRE RINGS, STUDS, COLLAR and CHEMISE BUTTONS, &c.

We buy these goods of the LARGEST IMPORTERS IN THIS COUNTRY FOR CASH, AND AS LOW AS ANY ONE CAN BUY THEM. We therefore can sell them for LESS MARGIN than the retailers in the larger cities whose expenses are ten times what ours are, and who depend upon this line of goods for their large profits.

See us and get our prices before you buy DIAMONDS.

OTTO E. CURTIS & CO.

June 14, 1881—d&wtf

BABY BUGGIES!

Children's Carriages!

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—ALL— NEW PATTERNS —TO— SELECT FROM.

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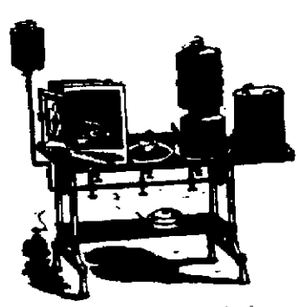

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In fact, almost everything you want for Housekeeping, all at the VERY LOWEST PRICES, at

LIDDLE'S MAMMOTH STORES,

COURT HOUSE BLOCK.

March 28—d&wtf

The Daily Republican.

MONDAY EVENING, JUNE 27, 1881.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

BABY CARRIAGES, an elegant assortment, very cheap to make room for other goods, at E. D. BARTHOLOMEW & Co's.

STOP at the Palace Hotel

ENGAGE your rigs for the 4th.

LIGHT rain yesterday afternoon

THE Good Templars meet to night.

ELDORADO ball 4th of July evening

DECATUR coal $2 50 per ton, and perhaps less

LUSTRE coats at STINE's

THE foundations of the new council building, on North Main street, are completed

A WEEK from next Thursday the Sunday School of the 1st E E church will give a picnic at the fair grounds or elsewhere.

SEWER building is the bone of contention among Decatur citizens and aldermen at the present writing Lack of money is the great drawback

THE finest selection of Straw Hats in the city at STINE's 11—dtf.

THE song service at the Presbyterian Church last evening, given under the direction of Prof Lutz, the chorister, was well attended. It was a success

IF you have any copying to do take it to A T Grist's Gallery, No 25 Water street. Price as low as any gallery. [mar16dlf

DECATUR citizens should join in the grand coal hurrah, and celebrate the notable find in an appropriate manner on the 4th—a week from to-day What say you all?

SMOKE Schroeder's celebrated Bohemian cigars.

MILLINERY at cost at Miss M Falconer's d6w1

THOSE handsome verandas on the north, east and west sides of Judge Greer's revised and improved residence, add largely to the general solid and comfortable appearance of the dwelling

18 EAST Main St

INSPECT those beautiful piano stools and covers at Prescott's before purchasing elsewhere

THE *Police News* is out with an illustrated mention of the daring leap of Dr. Lockhart's bride, at the St Nicholas two weeks ago The couple are now at Owensboro, Ky, and both are happy

18 EAST Main St

HATE the devil and all his works Love health and buy a bottle of Dr Marshall's Bromoline for fifty cents Big bottles It will cure billousness and indigestion 25

18 EAST Main St

THE ladies of St John's Episcopal Mission, at Maroa, will furnish lunch, dinner and refreshments on the 4th of July, in Emery's brick building In the evening they will give an ice cream festival

Two Baby Buggies for sale for less than cost, to close out stock, at A J Wallace & Co's 23 d&wtf

18 EAST Main St

'LONG TAW," who won the Saratoga Cup last season, was seriously injured at Saratoga on Saturday last while being removed from a car He was being led down the gang plank when an engine backed up against the car dislocating the plank and precipitating the valuable horse to the ground He fell on his back, and is thought to be badly hurt Mr Morris, the owner, threatens to sue the railroad for damages

CALL at W C. Armstrong's store for pure drugs and medicines, and the celebrated "Sword of Pain" remedy

J D TURNER, the house and sign painter, has removed his shop from over Strohm's marble shop to the roomy basement beneath C B Prescott's music parlor in opera block, where he would be pleased to receive calls from those wishing anything in his line Sign writing and graining a specialty

June 27—d1w*

IF you are nervous or dyspeptic try Carter's Little Nerve Pills Dyspepsia makes you nervous, and nervousness makes you dyspeptic, either one renders you miserable and these little pills cure both Sold by Hubbard and Swearingen 21d&w1w

KNOW all men by these presents that the Big Blood and Liver Cure (Dr Marshall's Bromoline) will cure you if you are bilious or constipated Ask your druggist 25

TRAFFIC Manager A E Shrader requests us to announce that the Illinois Midland Railway will carry passengers from any station on their line to any station on their line at one fare the round trip Tickets limited going by 2d, 3d, and 4th, returning July 4th and 5th 23 td

THE Illinois Central railroad company will sell excursion tickets for the Fourth of July from Decatur to any other station for one and one-third fare the round trip Tickets good going July 3d and 4th, returning July 5th 21 dtd

LADIES should use Dr Marshall's Bromoline for constipation, biliousness, or any liver complaint Big bottles, fifty cents Your druggist sells it 18

CARTER'S Little Liver Pills will positively cure sick headache and prevent its return This is not talk, but truth One pill a dose. Sold by Hubbard & Swearingen 23d&w1w

DURNO'S CATARRH SNUFF cures Catarrh and all affections of the mucous membrane

MOODY'S Abdominal Corsets, Bortrees', Dr Warner's, Glove Fitting, and all the best American and French Corsets, at lower prices than you can find them anywhere else, at LINN & SCRUGGS 8 d& w1w

BAKER'S PAIN PANACEA cures pain in Man and Beast. For use externally and internally No 2

THERE was a short but spicy session of the Council on Saturday night, when the sewer question was discussed. The 5th ward folks want about $5,000 of the city's funds to build a sewer that is badly needed, and the 4th and 3d ward residents need more than double that amount before they will consent to keep still, and the fun of it is, they all want it at once, and there is only $9,000 in the hands of the treasurer for that sort of public improvement The sewer question is an important one, and for the general health of the city, if for no other reason, the third and fourth ward mains ought to be extended to the river, and thus be made permanent The filth that is now emptied into the branches "smells to heaven" at times, and the stench will grow worse as the branch sewers in the business and residence parts of the city increase in number The fifth ward sewer improvement is also badly needed, and City Clerk Hardy in this issue of the REPUBLICAN advertises for bids to do the work The appropriation next year should be large enough to meet all contingencies in sewer building

ON Saturday evening Justice Albert gave two St Louis tramping negroes a legal dose They were run in Saturday morning by Officers McCabe and Condon as vags, and when examined at the cooler they were found to be armed to the collar button hole with bowie knives, revolvers and knucks Each was fined $20 and costs, and having no money they were sent back to jail, and sentenced to hard labor under Supervisor Shorb for 27 days They will be decorated with balls and chains for fear they may take a notion to skip out

THE ladies of the 1st M E church will give one of their festivals in the parlors of the church next Thursday night Ice cream, berries and other refreshments will be served No charge will be made for admission, and lovers of sociability and other good things are invited to attend

Two drunken men indulged in a disgraceful fight on the Illinois Central road, below the Wood street crossing, on Sunday forenoon One of the men was so tipsy he could't defend himself Deputy Kearney came along and put an end to the racket

HUNDREDS of Decatur people stood upon the street corners Saturday night after 8 o'clock and saw the new comet that appeared in the northwestern sky It slowly passed eastward It could not be seen last night

To enable the people to get together and celebrate the Wabash, St Louis & Pacific Railway will sell tickets July 2d, 3d and 4th, between all stations, good to return July 5 1881, at one and one third fare for the round trip

'PATTI,' one of Decatur's running horses, started in the "Board of Trade" handicap mile and a half race, at the Chicago Driving Park on Saturday afternoon Patti came in third John Morgan's Lisbtunah won the race in 2 37½

FIRE CHIEF HEWES has received a written invitation from the Peoria department for the Decatur firemen to visit that city on the 4th and participate in the grand celebration of Independence Day

THOMAS WARD pleaded guilty this morning before Justice Curtis to creating a disturbance at the Franklin House on Saturday evening He was fined $3 and costs

NEXT Wednesday evening—R T of T sociable in Good Templar's hall Mrs M L Cain will give a reading, and there will be good music

THE Decatur ball and chain gang, three in number, will be made to toe the mark to morrow morning, and work out their fines at the gravel bank

Gone to Jacksonville.

This morning Mr V Barber, of Hickory Point township, and Thomas Cook, turnkey at the county jail, left on the Wabash for the insane asylum at Jacksonville, having in charge George W Lewis and "Battling Ann," two individuals who have been pronounced insane in the county court "Battling Ann" has been an inmate of the poor house for several years At the depot he recognized a number of acquaintances and seemed to act as if his mind was not impaired, but after he had shaken hands all round he commenced delivering a religious sermon to the crowd—his old hobby Lewis is easily riled and threatens to carve people on the slighest provocation

Invitation

At a meeting of the Ancient Order of Hibernians held on Saturday evening, the following committee on programme for the 4th of July celebration at Dodwell's pasture was appointed Michael McGinty, P J. Kearney, John Giblin and John McEvoy On motion the Decatur military companies and the fire department were invited to participate in the parade and celebration at the grounds The Hibernians are mak'ng big preparations for a grand time

Teachers' Meeting.

The last regular teachers' meeting of the year, ending July, 1881, will be held at the usual place of meeting next Saturday, at 1 30 p m As this is the last day, at 1 30 p m As this is the last meeting the programme will be of a different character from the usual order

For Sale or Exchange

A very desirable residence property, near Lake, one hour's ride north of Chicago, in a live city, for sale or exchange for Macon county property Inquire of 87-d1m THEO A GEHRMANN

For Rent.

The store room situated on the south side of the city park, now occupied by Skelley Bros, grocers, will be for rent July 1st Apply to 25-d6 MONTGOMERY & SHULL

18 EAST Main St

DECATUR'S BIG BONANZA.

Let the Cannon Roar for Our Coal Boom.

A Vein of Good Bituminous Coal, Four Feet Thick, Struck at the Decatur Shaft Last Night

Samples on Exhibition at the Republican Office.

GOOD NEWS AT LAST

It was incorrectly reported on Sunday morning that coal had been struck at the Decatur shaft on Saturday night at ten o'clock The long-expected and hoped for discovery was not made until ten o'clock on Sunday night, June 26th, 1881, at a depth of 608 feet, as shown by Mr J E Bering's boring, made in the fall of 1873 and the spring of 1875 After the vein had been struck, Superintendent White instructed William Clear, one of the experienced miners at the bottom of the deep hole, to drill through the coal, and he did so, finding the vein to be

FOUR FEET TWO INCHES THICK

being eight inches thicker than is shown by the Bering profile The glad news was communicated to Mr White who with the other miners waited anxiously for the result of the drilling to be announced

THE MINERS JOLLIFY

This morning the coal shaft operatives erected a flag staff over the tower and unfurled the stars and stripes to the breeze, and otherwise manifested their joy over the 'find" by firing off several anvils in rapid succession They are the happiest body of men one could find in a year's travel, and are working to day with renewed energy, and singing like a troop of converts at a camp meeting

THE FIRST COAL

was taken out of the shaft from the 'four foot" vein this morning, and samples of it were secured by a REPUBLICAN reporter They are now on exhibition at this office where they may be seen by those who call

The coal is considered to be an extra quality of bituminous fuel equal to the best shipped here from other mines A portion of it was thrown into the furnace at the shaft this morning in the presence of the writer and others, and it burnt like an oily substance Superintendent White informs our reporter that the vein has a splendid roof of slate, and everything is in good condition to push forward the work of getting ready to mine the "black diamonds" and supply the trade But no coal will be taken out for sale until after the 4th of July The miners will dig through the "four foot,' and sink what they call the "sump" or drain for water, to a depth of 16 feet below the vein, which will make the hole 628 feet deep, the deepest shaft in the State of Illinois operated by next to the most powerful hoisting machinery The shaft is 7 by 14 in size, and is divided into three apartments There are two cage roads, each 5 by 7 feet in size and an up cast for air 3 by 7 feet in size When in full operation two cages will be used to bring up the coal from the dark depths below The new hoisting machinery which was recently made at Litchfield, is the very best in use, and is of the most improved pattern They rest upon solid foundations, and in due time will be covered with a substantial brick structure — Some delay will be occasioned in taking out the coal for delivery on account of the fact that a new and more substantial tower will have to be built over the shaft and suitable coal shutes constructed, at while all this is being done the miners will proceed with the work of constructing the 'sump' and [illegible] like the other portion of the shaft, which is built in the most substantial manner from top to bottom

In this connection it may not be inappropriate to give a brief history of the important undertaking which has resulted so successfully, the determined managers overcoming all obstacles which have beset them In the beginning Mr Frank Frorer, of Lincoln, agreed to sink a shaft if the city of Decatur would agree to give him $2,000 for every 100 feet of the shaft sunk The city accepted his proposition and Frorer gave bonds in the sum of $20,000, and he has received $10 000 in cash from the city, which he has agreed to return to the city in coal, delivered at the water works On June 1st, 1879 ground was broken for the old shaft, which was sunk to a depth of 119 feet, Superintendent Charles J White having charge of the work In the fall of that year the old shaft, though substantially built, caved in at a depth of 80 feet on account of the strong current of water which broke the heavy timbers and made a total wreck of the hole The work was then abandoned, but nothing daunted, on April 23, 1880, Mr Frorer commenced digging the present shaft near the old one, and pushed forward the work as rapidly as the weather and annoying mishaps would permit Since the search for coal began on June 1st, 1880, two years and 26 days have been devoted to the work It took 14 months and three days to sink the new shaft 608 feet, and the estimated cost of both, including a portion of the permanent machinery, labor, loss by caving in of old shaft, repairs, and by the fire several weeks ago, is estimated at not less than $55,000.

The shaft will be operated by an incorporated company, whose members are Frank Frorer, Charles J. White, D H Harts and Henry Brammell, capital stock, $100,000.

AN ESCAPE SHAFT

Under the state law the managers of the coal shaft will have to sink another within two years, not less than a half mile distant from the present shaft, which will be known as the "escape shaft," and will be used by the miners in case any accident should occur while they are down in the mine Supt White says the second shaft will be sunk at once, probably on the line of some other railroad, but that matter is yet undetermined

SHALL WE CELEBRATE?

The coal find is a big bonanza for our city in many respects. It furnishes good and cheap fuel at our very doors, and removes forever all objections to Decatur as one of the greatest manufacturing centers in the west. We have long had an inexhaustible supply of water, we have the best of railroad facilities furnishing every possible convenience to shippers, and now we have COAL, and plenty of it for home use and perhaps enough to supply a part of the foreign demand And it will not be at all surprising if numerous rival shafts are sunk in different parts of the city within the next few years, now that it has been demonstrated beyond cavil that there are beds of coal in paying quantities beneath our feet There is already talk of sinking a shaft near Dr. Johns' residence

The manufacturers and all citizens of Decatur should join in a grand jollification over the coal find and banquet Mr Frorer, Mr White, and the daring miners who have given our city such a big boost in a commercial sense. It is an important epoch in our history that calls for some sort of a demonstration Why not "kill two birds with one stone and celebrate Decatur's coal find on July 4th? If this meets with general approval let a meeting of citizens be called to make proper arrangements A big procession with a column of Decatur coal on a wagon, followed by the military, fire department and Decatur mechanics in line, wouldn't be a bad idea

PERSONAL MENTION.

N L Krone contemplates a trip west ward for the benefit of his health

Alderman and Mrs Harwood were guests of friends in Chicago on Sunday

Misses Fannie Sibley and Annie Burgess are home from a delightful visit among friends at Bement

Mr and Mrs T J Corning, of San Jose, Cal, were guests at the St Nicholas Hotel on Sunday

E B Hale, of Cleveland, Ohio, paid us a call this forenoon He left for Monticello this afternoon

Jacksonville *Journal* 25th Mis Maggie Culp departed for Decatur yesterday, where she will spend several weeks visiting relatives and friends

Turner O Banion, editor of the Maroa *News*, has gone to Colorado for the benefit of his failing health He is accompanied by his wife May his most sanguine hopes be realized is our wish

Capt Ira Harris, superintendent of the rolling mill at Kansas City, is in Decatur to-day greeting his many friends The Captain is accompanied by his family, and all are guests of Mr and Mrs J W Race

Greeley Dunston devotes his spare moments to exercising his $200 Hambletonian trotter Dan that has just been taught to wear harness without caving in the dashboard 'Dan" is not quite four years old

Dr Goodwin received a telegram from Lawndale, Logan county, this morning, inviting him to be the orator of the day at that place on the 4th It will be a temperance celebration He will accept the invitation and all the extras

Maroa *News* John S Sargent has in his possession the English ivy that was the property of President Lincoln at the time of his assassination Mr Sargent invites all who wish to see it to call at his residence The history of this remarkable ivy will be given next week

Miss Annie E. Russell departed for Chicago this noon over the Wabash, where she will join with her sister Minnie in a trip to Massachusetts to visit relatives and friends in Boston, Lynn, Spring field and other places They will take the lake route to Buffalo, thence by rail, and will be absent six or eight weeks May joy go with them

DON'T FORGET!

That in Hosiery, Corsets, Parasols, Men's or Ladies' Furnishing Goods, Dusters, Table Linen, Quilts, Laces and Embroideries, or in fact in anything and every thing pertaining to our line—outside of dress goods—we lead We show quantities in every department As regards quality none can surpass us Our prices are uniformly lower than those of any house in the city See us.

June 24—d&w1w CHEAP STORE

EVERY INCH A KING.

It is the man with the rheumatism that is every inch a king [aching] Dr. Thomas eclectric Oil is king of remedies for all such aches

THE AUTOPHONE

is the cheapest, best, and most comprehensive automatic musical instrument ever brought forth It has 22 notes, (six more than any other musical instrument), plays in 3 keys, is simple in construction, it can be played by a child, it is absolutely perfect in its rendition of music, beating its own time, while all others require faster or slower motion Does away with cranks and handles, being played by direct action of the bellows It plays any kind of music. Both Autophone and music are cheaper by far than all others. Send for circular Liberal discount to canvassers.

Address, THE AUTOPHONE CO., Ithaca, New York

June 22—w&Sat8t*

A BAD LOT

Lots wife had the worst case of Salt Rheum on record, pity she hadn't a chance to use Spring Blossom Remedy. Prices $1, 50 cents trial bottles 10 cts.

Mrs. C. H. Moore's Departure for Callao.

This noon Mrs Nellie Johns Moore, wife of Lieut C B Moore, of the U S Navy, took her departure for New York, where she will join General and Mrs J H Moore, and take her departure in the steamer Acapulco for Lima, Peru, her future home Her parents, relatives and a large number of friends were at the Union depot to bid her a last farewell and wish her happiness in her new home among strange people The steamer will leave New York on June 30th and the party will arrive at the port of Callao about July 21st Lieut Moore will have charge of the government supply steamer at Callao, and will join the family at that place in due season

Mrs Moore, who has been a bright ornament in Decatur society, was tendered a fashionable farewell reception at the elegant residence of Mr and Mrs L Burrows, on West North street, on Saturday evening Those present were Hon and Mrs B K Durfee, Mrs Judge Thornton, Hon and Mrs W B Chambers, Dr and Mrs H C Johns, ex-Gov Oglesby, Mr and Mrs W J Quinlan, Mrs Sedgwick, Mrs Venngerholz, Miss Bessie Jones and Pitt Jones, of London, Ohio, Miss Moses and Dick Dodd, of Springfield, Walter Bashforth, of Quincy Mr Lufkin, of Bloomington Charles F Armstrong, of Chicago, Prof Dwight, of Jacksonville, the Misses Louie, Ida and Hattie Jones, Cora Elwood, Dollie Millikin, Olive Oglesby, Mollie Barnes, Flora Race, Nellie Durfee and Ida Bering, and Messrs Mark Oliver, J W Clugston, W. C Johns, Charles W Challis, O E Curtis, H W Osborn, Albert Barnes, Geo A Challis, A L Johnson, Wilson Bering, W M Boyd, W E Bishop, and others The occasion was thoroughly delightful The fleeting hours before 12 were given up to dancing, for which Prof Goodman's orchestra supplied the music The refreshments were in keeping with the pleasant affair

A Disputed Honor.

Two simultaneous dispatches have been received by Prof Swift of the Warner Observatory at Rochester, N Y, by which it appears that another great comet has been discovered Prof Sharpless, of Haverford College, Pennsylvania, states that L T. Edwards saw it with the naked eye on the morning of June 23d, and Mr Edgar L Larkin, of New Windsor, Ill, also reports seeing it and that it is vast It seems probable that the tail is not less than 15 deg in length, while the head is as bright as Jupiter The new comet is located in the constellation of Auriga, about eight deg from Capella, and it is not improbable that it may be the much expected comet of 1812, which should appear not far from that locality As the two dispatches were received in Rochester simultaneously, there is some question as to whether the honor of the discovery and the Warner prize of $200, belong to Mr Edwards or Mr Larkin E G Tucker of Decatur, claims to have seen the new comet first on the morning of Wednesday June 22d If he can establish his claim he is entitled to the $200 prize

MARRIED

In this city, on June 25, 1881, by Ira B Curtis J. P., MR ISAAC WALDEN of Decatur and MISS CLARA B LAMBERT, of Niantic Ill

DIED.

Near Milmine, on June 26 1881, of consumption, FRANK O EAST, aged 25 years

The funeral will take place from James Chapel in this city on Tuesday at 10 30 a m The services will be conducted by Rev J R Locke

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH

The Closing Quotations at McWhorter & Rollins' Commission Rooms at 1 p m To-Day

CHICAGO Jun

Wheat—$1 13 , July $1 13¼ Aug $1 11 Sept $1 09¼ year

Corn—4[illegible] July, 4[illegible] Aug [illegible] Sept [illegible] year

Oats—37¼ July 38¼ Aug [illegible] Sept [illegible] year

Pork—$16 27 July $16 40 Aug $16 [illegible] year

Lard—$11 10 July $11 25 Aug $11 [illegible] year

UNION STOCK YARDS

Hogs—Receipts 25,000, prices 5 cents lower

Car lots—Wheat, 278 corn, 146 oats [illegible]

BORTREE'S Duplex Corset Skirt Supporters, $1, at Linn & Scruggs

June 18 d&wtf

For Sale

Michigan refined cider, the best in the land, sells fast, everybody likes it Order a sample barrel from Wm W Moore & Co, Care 245 East Washington street Indianapolis Ind [illegible]

Just Received

A splendid line of Ladies' Muslin Underwear, Ladies' Sacques, &c &c

June 24—d&w1w CHEAP STORE

Bear & Einstein

Have secured one more first class milliner, having been rushed so that they have been compelled to add extra help to accommodate their customers They would therefore, inform the ladies of Decatur and surrounding country that they can fill all orders at short notice in first-class style, cheaper than ever offered in this city Call and see the stock, no trouble to show goods 10-d&wtf

PARENTS will find the A. S. T Co Black Tip not objectionable like the metal, while it will wear as well By asking for it on their children's shoes, they can reduce their shoe bills one half 23-d&w1w

18 EAST Main St

Take her up tenderly, handle her with care,
Fashioned so slenderly so young and so fair
Oh it was pitiful in a whole cityful,
None knew enough to cure her dyspeptic despondency by getting her
Some Spring Blossom
Prices $1 50cts trial bottles 10 cents

DR GREEN'S OXYGENATED BITTERS

Are a cheap and simple remedy for Dyspepsia and Biliousness in all their worst forms It is a well known preparation, and has been known and endorsed by physicians for many years and has been used by thousands of sufferers in all parts of the world as a Standard and Reliable Remedy. No 2

DR. MOTT'S LIVER PILLS are the best Cathartic Regulators No 2

THE Wabash road will sell round trip excursion tickets to the National Sanger fest at Chicago on June 29th Tickets from Decatur sold on June 27 h, 28th and 29th, good to return on all trains to July 7th Fare $5 00 June.4dtf

GREAT CLEARANCE SALE

—OF—

DRY GOODS!

—COMPRISING

Spring & Summer Dress Goods

At one-half their value.

PRINTS at 4 and 5 cts., worth 6 and 8.
RIBBONS at 15, 25 and 50, worth 40, 50 and 85.
HOSIERY, GLOVES, CORSETS.
PARASOLS, EMBROIDERIES,
LACE TOP GLOVES,
LADIES' GAUZE UNDERWEAR,
BLEACHED and BROWN MUSLINS.

LADIES' JACKETS,
DOLMANS,
SUMMER SHAWLS,
NAPKINS,
QUILTS
AND
TOWELS.

Purchasers will find *no overcharge in quality or price* of goods named

LINN & SCRUGGS.

DRY GOODS and CARPETS.

[illegible] d&w1

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— THE —

French Cutter!

We speak now to everybody who wishes to get

A SOLID. STYLISH SUIT!

AT REASONABLE PRICE.

We guarantee to give excellent satisfaction to every purchaser who will select their goods from our Large Stock All are invited to call and examine our Goods look through our various Departments see how easy it is to get just what you want from

OUR LARGE ASSORTMENT OF

CLOTHING,

FOR MEN, BOYS AND CHILDREN,

HATS AND CAPS,

Furnishing Goods, Trunks and Valises,

All contained in the DOUBLE STORE, COR OF OLD SQUARE, which you will find well ventilated, and with plenty of light, so Goods show for what they are and you will not find yourself deceived when at home

ONE PRICE ONLY.

Goods Marked in Plain Figures.

NO MISREPRESENTATION.

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CORNER OF OLD SQUARE

June 11 d&wtf

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[Why it is termed the popular]

PASSENGER LINE

OF AMERICA.

2500 MILES OF ROAD reaching in the most direct manner all of the GREAT CITIES OF THE WEST running the Finest Passenger Equipment and the most extended Through Car System on the Continent

THROUGH TICKETS

to all Points East, West, North or South

And Baggage Checked from Starting Point to Destination.

Departure of Trains at Decatur Station

Main Line.

GOING EAST.

No. 6, Through Express	3 00 a m
" 4 Atlantic Express	12 00 m
" 2, Lightning Express	10 50 p m
" 8, Bement Accommodation	7 00 p m

The following freight trains will carry passengers with tickets

Going East	10 20 a m
Going "	7 15 p m
Going "	4 00 a m

GOING WEST.

No 3, Fast Line	4 35 a m
" 7, Jacksonville Accommodation,	6 50 a m
" 5, Fast Mail	3 40 p m
" 1, Through Express	7 30 p m

The following freight trains will carry passengers with tickets

Going west	1 4 p m
Going "	11 30 p m

Chicago Division.

On and after Sunday, May 15th 1881 trains will run as follows on the Chicago Division of the W., St. L. & P. R'y by way of Bement

GOING EAST

No 48, Chicago Express	1 25 a m
" 40, Through Express	7 15 a m
" 44, Chicago Mail	1 15 p m

ARRIVE FROM CHICAGO

No. 47, St Louis Express	3 45 a m
" 45, St Louis Mail	3 45 p m
" 41, Through Express	7 15 p m

St. Louis Division.

GOING WEST

No 47, St Louis Express	3 45 a m
" 43, Fast Line,	4 45 a m
" 41, Decatur and St Louis Accom	6 10 a m
" 45, Fast Mail	3 50 p m

ARRIVE FROM ST LOUIS

No. 48, Chicago Express	12 15 a m
" 44, Atlantic Express	11.55 a m
" 46, St. Louis and Decatur Accom	9 15 p m
" 42, Lightning Express	10 40 p m

The following freight trains will carry passengers with tickets on the St Louis Division

Going West	7 30 a m
Arrive from West	2 00 p m

Champaign Division

Arrive from East	10 40 a m
Leave for Champaign	2 30 p m

For Maps, Time Tables, or any information, call on or address,

J. C. GAULT, Gen Manager, H. C. TOWNSEND, Gen Pass Agent, ST LOUIS,

Or K. HARWOOD, Ticket Agent, Decatur.

ILLINOIS MIDLAND R'Y.

On and after Monday, Feb 14th, trains will arrive and leave as follows.

GOING SOUTHEAST.

Mail and Express	11 25 a m
Way Freight	6 00 a m
Through Freight	7 40 p m

GOING NORTHWEST

Mail and Express	12 50 p m
Way Freight,	4 25 a m
Through Freight	9 15 p m

N. E. ADAMS, Agent

Peoria Decatur & Evansville R'y

Take this Line for

Burlington, Council Bluffs, Omaha, Galesburg, Davenport, Rock Island, LaSalle, Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis, and all points North and Northwest. Connections made at Peoria in Union Depot, for all points in Iowa, Nebraska, Minnesota and Wisconsin.

GOING EAST.

Passenger	10 40 a m
"	10 25 p m
Freight	4 10 p m

GOING WEST

Passenger	7 35 a m
"	1 30 p m
Freight	11 00 a m

G. R. LOBLEIGH, Supt
L. M. RUPERT, G. P. A.
Decatur, Ill, Oct 1, 1880

Indianapolis, Decatur and Springfield

RAILWAY COMPANY.

Take this for the East and all points North and South on the Chicago & Paducah Railway Illinois Central (Chicago Division), Paris and Danville Railway, K., I. B. & C. R'y, and I. C. & S. R'y. Close connections being made at all Junction Stations, and through tickets on sale at the ticket office, Decatur, Ill

CONDENSED TIME-CARD

LEAVE DECATUR GOING EAST

Mail and Express No 2	12 15 p m
Night Express No 4	11 00 p m
Way Freight	6 00 a m
Mixed and Stock Train No 10	5 30 p m

ARRIVE FROM INDIANAPOLIS

Mail and Day Express No 1	3 00 p m
Night Express No 3	4 30 a m
Way Freight	30 p m
Through Fr[illegible] and mixed train No 9,	8 15 a m

R. S. MORSE, Superintendent
G. F. NUTTER, Traffic Manager
Decatur Ill, April 17, 1881.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL R. R.

DECATUR STATION, Jan 21, 1878

Until further notice, trains on this line will leave Decatur as follows

GOING NORTH

Passenger,	6 44 a m
Accommodation	1 40 p m
Freight	4 20 "

GOING SOUTH.

Accommodation	10 05 a m
Passenger,	5 25 p m
Freight,	9 20 a m

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J. F. TUCKER, Master Transportation, Chicago.
C. O. JUDSON, Agent, Decatur

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A 12 HORSE POWER ENGINE AND 20-horse power boiler, in good running order, for sale at a bargain, either separately or together.

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May 13--w1mo*

$66 a week in your own town. Terms and $5 outfit free. Address H. HALLETT & Co., Portland, Maine. Feb3-d&w1y

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Anthony Thornton, E. R. Eldridge, J. C. Hostetler

THORNTON, ELDRIDGE & HOSTETLER

ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW.

Office up stairs [illegible] the Decatur National Bank

W. C. JOHNS

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW.

Office [illegible] Main Street, Decatur Ill. Special attention [illegible] business. March 1 1881 [illegible]

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B. [illegible]

Attorney-at-Law.

[illegible]

CROFTY & MILL [illegible]

Attorneys & Counselors-at-Law

[illegible]

Decatur, Ill. Sept [illegible]

GEORGE R. SHELLY [illegible]

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW.

Prompt attention [illegible]

HENRY MITCHELL

ATTORNEY AT LAW,

DECATUR ILLINOIS

Special attention [illegible] suits on [illegible] Office with [illegible] street

BUNN & PARK [illegible]

ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW,

Office No [illegible]

L. A. BUCKINGHAM

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,

Office over [illegible] Illinois

DR A. WALL

DENTIST

Office over Hart [illegible] Decatur, Illin

A. TILLET [illegible]

ATTORNEY AT LAW

AND

NOTARY PUBLIC

OFFICE on South Water street, [illegible] south of the Court House with Ira B Curtis, Justice of the Peace July1-d&w1y

Prompt attention given to collections

WILLIAM L. CUSSINS

ATTORNEY AT LAW,

AND

Solicitor in Chancery

Office No. 10 Water street Decatur Ill

Private fund to loan [illegible]

Feb 12 d&wtf

DR W. J. LANE

DENTIST.

Office over [illegible] Decatur Illinois

HARVEY [illegible]

Attorney at Law,

Solicitor in Chancery and Notary Public

Deeds, Mortgages, Wills, Contracts, and all kinds of Legal Instruments carefully written and Acknowledgments taken and Abstracts examined. Attention given to [illegible] ness, War Claims, and all matters [illegible] the State Insolvent law. Collections made in all parts of the United States. Office [illegible] Store, East Main [illegible] Decatur Ill. Office open from 7 A.M. [illegible] at No 42 West [illegible] P M June7d&wtf

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P. Perl is fully prepared to attend to undertaking in all its branches, and is well supplied with all kinds of

COFFINS

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from the [illegible] prices are [illegible] factory

Embalming and Preserving Corpses a Specialty.

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TRUSTEE'S SALE.

WHEREAS, Andrew Wayts and Nancy Wayts his wife did by their [illegible] trust, dated April [illegible] in the Recorder's Office of Macon county, Illinois in book [illegible] F. Emery trustee, the premises hereinafter described in trust to secure the payment of one certain promissory note of said Andrew Wayts, [illegible] with said trust deed for the sum of eight hundred dollars payable three years after date to the order of N. A. Crouch with [illegible] per cent interest per annum from date, which [illegible] day of January A. D. [illegible] period of three years from [illegible] Wayts executed and delivered to said Crouch coupons evidencing the interest upon said note for the time of [illegible] upon said extension that all covenants and agreements in said trust deed shall apply to said extension, and whereas it is provided in said trust deed that a failure to pay interest when due shall have the effect to render the entire sum of principal and interest at once due and payable and upon application the legal holder of said note the trustee shall proceed and sell said premises in the manner stated in said trust deed, and whereas default has been made in the payment of the interest due January 1st A. D. [illegible] and each installment of interest since said date and Joseph Starr the present legal holder of said note, has requested the undersigned to proceed and sell said premises in the manner prescribed in said trust deed, and claims that there will be due upon said note and trust deed on the first day of July, A. D. 18[illegible] the sum of $[illegible]

Now, therefore notice is hereby given that the undersigned trustee will on the first day of July, A. D. 1881 at the hour of one o'clock p. m. of said day at the front door of the court house, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, proceed to sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash the following described premises, situated in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: The north east quarter of the southeast quarter of section number twenty six, in township number sixteen north, range two east of the third principal meridian containing forty acres, more or less and all right, title, interest and equity of redemption of the said Andrew Wayts and Nancy Wayts, or either of them therein.

CHARLES F. EMERY, Trustee

May 7 1881 dtd

For You,

Madam,

Whose complexion betrays some humiliating imperfection, whose mirror tells you that you are Tanned, Sallow and disfigured in countenance, or have Eruptions, Redness, Roughness or unwholesome tints of complexion, we say use Hagan's Magnolia Balm.

It is a delicate, harmless and delightful article, producing the most natural and entrancing tints, the artificiality of which no observer can detect, and which soon becomes permanent if the Magnolia Balm is judiciously used.

ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the Assessor [illegible] and Town Clerk, of the town of Decatur in Macon county Illinois will meet at the town clerk's office in said town on Monday, the 27th day of June 1881, (being the fourth Monday in June), for the purpose of reviewing and correcting the assessment of said town for the year 1881

All persons considering themselves aggrieved by said assessment, or who wish to complain that the property of another is assessed too low, are hereby notified to appear at said meeting and show cause and have such assessment reviewed.

Such complaint that another person is assessed too low will be acted upon until the person [illegible] shall have been notified and such complaint [illegible] a resident of the [illegible]

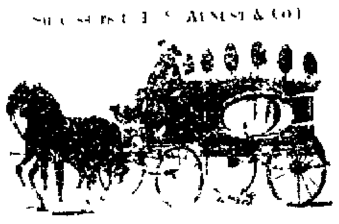
FRED J. SMITH

Assessor of the town of Decatur

June [illegible]

Radcliff & Bullard,

SUCCESSORS TO [illegible]



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Decatur, Illinois

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STOVES TAKEN ON STORAGE

For the season, cleaned, kept dry, and put up when wanted for use in the fall, by

R. LIDDLE,
Court House Block.

April [illegible]

ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL

CHARLES LAUX, Proprietor

Southwest [illegible] of Old Square, Decatur [illegible] Jan [illegible]

EXECUTRIX NOTICE.

Estate of FREDERICK MILLER Deceased

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to all persons having claims and demands against the estate of Frederick Miller, deceased, to present the same for adjudication and settlement at a regular term of the county court of Macon county, to be holden at the court house in the city of Decatur, on the 3rd Monday of August A. D. 1881, being the first day of said term

Decatur Ill. June 7th A. D. 1881

MINNIE MILLER Executrix

June 8 d w

WILHOFT'S FEVER AND AGUE TONIC

For Chills and Fever AND ALL DISEASES

Caused by Malarial Poisoning of the Blood.

A WARRANTED CURE.

Price, $1.00. For sale by all Druggists.

May 18—d&w6mos

Go to Dr A. J. Stoner, south side City Park for Mrs. Freeman's New National Dyes. For brightness and durability of color they are unequalled. Color 2 to 5 lbs, price 15 cents. Feb 25 dtf

ONE hundred summer pants patterns, domestic and imported goods, to be sold out at reduced prices, perfect fit guaranteed at Fleury's the French Cutter. 11 d&wtf

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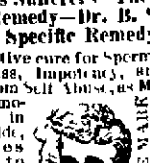

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ISAAC N. COOL, Executor

June 1, 1881-d3w

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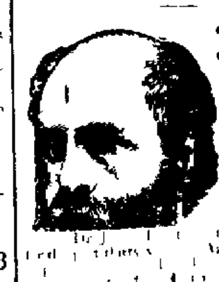

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